# BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

## **DEBORAH SEILER**

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## **Present Position:**

2007-current Registrar of Voters, San Diego County, California

# **Previous Positions:**

2004-2007	Assistant Registrar of Voters, Solano County, California
	Co-Chair, Legislative Committee, California Association of Clerks and Election Officials (CACEO)
1999-2004	Sales Representative, Diebold Election Systems
1993-1997	<b>Commissioner, California Fair Political Practices Commission</b> (appointed by March Fong Eu, served also under Bill Jones, secretaries of state)
1992-2004	<b>Chair, Code Revision Subcommittee,</b> County Clerks Legislative Committee to recodify, restructure, and partially re-write the California Elections Code
1991-2001	<b>Editor and Publisher</b> , "California Elections Report," a monthly newsletter of California election administration – also published under the title "The Seiler Report."
1991-1999	Director of Customer Relations, Sequoia Pacific Systems
1989-1991	Chief Consultant, Assembly Elections, Reapportionment and Constitutional Amendments Committee, California State Legislature
1982-1989	Assistant to the Secretary of State for Elections and Political Reform, California Secretary of State's office
1979-1982	Assistant Chief of Elections, California Secretary of State's Office

## Other:

March 2003: Nigerian Presidential Election Observer, national Democratic Institute.

December 2001: named "Honorary City Clerk" by City Clerks Association of California.

October 1998: Azerbijani Presidential Election Observer, National Democratic Institute.

1997: Member, Advisory Task Force on Elections. Appointed by Secretary of State Bill Jones

October 1996: Macedonian Pre-election Assessment Advisor, National Democratic Institute.

November 1995: Electoral Consultant to the United Nations DDSMS program on an electoral modernization project proposed by the Brazilian government.

July-August 1995: Member, IFES Technical Assessment Team to evaluate proposed automation of voting and vote accumulation in the Philippines

February- May 1995: Vice-Chair, Advisory Task Force on Elections. Appointed by Secretary of State Bill Jones as principal author of a report suggesting wholesale revisions to improve elections in California.

February 1992; September 1992: Romanian Election Observer, National Democratic Institute

May 1990; June 1990; May 1991: Bulgarian Election Observer/Technical Advisor, National Democratic Institute

1988-1991: Advisory Board Member of the Federal Election Commission's Elections Clearinghouse

1975: Research Fellow, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington, D.C.

1971: Bachelor of Arts Degree (magna cum laude), University of California, Berkeley.